

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Numbers rose noticeably and quality improved, with increased supplies of supplementary fed yearlings and grown steers. Grown steers and bullock's were in greater numbers and quality was quite good. Secondary cattle were well supplied, selling to strong demand from feedlots and restockers. The usual group of domestic and export buyers were attendance. There were several northern store orders in place, along with local restocking competition.

The mixed quality supply of vealers sold to strong competition from all sectors, with vealers lacking finish selling to lot feeders and restockers. The better finished vealers to slaughter ranged from 295c to 312c/kg. There was increased numbers of lighter weight veal, with the bulk of the plainer lines selling to restockers from 258c to 302c/kg. Medium weight grass finished and supplementary fed heifers sold to spirited demand, with a major export processors sustaining the market across the better finished lines. Well finished heifers made from 265c to 299c/kg. Medium trade weight trade steers were in short supply and all buyers were eager to capture adequate numbers. The limited supply of prime finished C3 yearling steers resulted in a dearer trend of 6c/kg. Domestic buyers paid from 285c to 304c to average 291.8c/kg.

Well-bred medium weight C2 yearling steers suitable to feed-on were well supplied, with prices lifting 5c to average 291.7c/kg. Light weight secondary heifers sold to strong lot feeder demand, with the stronger competition lifting prices 10c to average 263.6c/kg.

The mixed good offering of grown steers sold to strong competition from export buyers and southern domestic processors, with prices generally 5c higher, while heavy bullocks due to the improved quality lifted 9c/kg. The better quality pens of C3 and C4 steers made from 275c to 302c/kg. Heavy cows were well supplied and prices fluctuated, easing 5c/kg overall. Heavy D4 cows ranged from 192c to 220c/kg. The leaner D2 and 3 cows were keenly sought however sold at slight cheaper prices due to a decrease in yield. The D3 medium weight cows made from 162c to 196c/kg.

Category Weight	Sale Prefix	Muscle Score	Fat Score	Head	Live Weight c/kg				Estimated Carcase Weight c/kg			Estimated \$/Head		
					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
Calves														
80+	RS	C	2	48	228.0	- 300.2	268.6	23	-	-	-	404	- 578	484
	RS	D	2	13	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	-	-	-	412	- 412	412
				61	210.0	300.2			0	0		404	578	
Vealer Steer														
200-280	RS	B	2	7	286.2	- 303.2	300.8	N/Q	-	-	-	615	- 807	779
	FD	C	2	5	275.0	- 275.0	275.0	26	-	-	-	765	- 765	765
	RS	C	2	35	258.0	- 282.2	270.3	11	-	-	-	558	- 768	677
	RS	D	2	5	216.2	- 216.2	216.2	N/Q	-	-	-	569	- 569	569
280-330	RS	B	2	5	303.2	- 303.2	303.2	N/Q	-	-	-	867	- 867	867
	FD	B	2	2	294.0	- 294.0	294.0	N/Q	-	-	-	926	- 926	926
	FD	C	2	50	275.0	- 304.2	294.8	32	-	-	-	858	- 958	905
		C	2	4	303.0	- 303.0	303.0	31	572	- 572	572	873	- 873	873
	RS	C	2	20	301.2	- 304.2	302.0	54	-	-	-	883	- 919	904
	PT	C	2	6	298.2	- 298.2	298.2	N/Q	574	- 574	574	939	- 939	939
	RS	D	2	6	252.0	- 252.0	252.0	N/Q	-	-	-	774	- 774	774
330+	FD	B	2	1	290.0	- 290.0	290.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1073	- 1073	1073
		B	2	8	299.2	- 312.2	304.8	10	534	- 567	549	1147	- 1405	1215
		C	2	4	265.0	- 265.0	265.0	-1	500	- 500	500	890	- 890	890
	FD	C	2	23	288.2	- 305.6	298.0	6	-	-	-	1029	- 1294	1116
	C	3	11	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	N/Q	546	- 546	546	1153	- 1153	1153	

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	
					192	216.2	312.2			500	574		558	1405	
Vealer Heifer															
200-280	RS	C	2	56	225.2	- 249.2	237.2	9	-				477	- 698	557
	FD	C	2	13	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/C	-				495	- 495	495
	RS	D	2	12	218.0	- 218.0	218.0	18	-				482	- 482	482
280-330		B	2	3	284.0	- 284.0	284.0	17	526	- 526	526		866	- 866	866
	FD	C	2	8	278.0	- 278.0	278.0	37	-				828	- 828	828
		C	2	4	250.0	- 250.0	250.0	-2	481	- 481	481		725	- 725	725
330+		B	2	25	285.0	- 296.2	290.5	3	509	- 556	544		969	- 1142	1024
		C	2	11	273.2	- 278.0	276.8	27	509	- 516	514		934	- 1030	964
	FD	C	2	10	254.0	- 254.0	254.0	-3	-				1410	- 1410	1410
		C	3	15	284.6	- 284.6	284.6	N/Q	527	- 527	527		988	- 988	988
					157	218.0	296.2			481	556		477	1410	
Yearling Steer															
0-200	RS	D	1	8	230.0	- 230.0	230.0	N/Q	-				380	- 380	380
200-280	FD	C	2	70	243.2	- 295.0	274.4	5	-				587	- 756	674
	RS	C	2	222	244.0	- 298.2	271.2	-1	-				505	- 787	652
		C	2	5	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	462	- 462	462		559	- 559	559
	RS	C	3	8	242.0	- 242.0	242.0	N/Q	-				494	- 494	494
	RS	D	2	9	220.0	- 268.2	236.1	14	-				528	- 751	602
	FD	D	2	3	255.2	- 255.2	255.2	N/Q	-				689	- 689	689
280-330		C	2	8	255.0	- 260.0	258.8	9	490	- 500	498		765	- 837	819
	FD	C	2	196	275.0	- 306.2	296.2	17	-				830	- 1001	923
	RS	C	2	95	280.0	- 307.0	296.6	29	-				815	- 960	890
	RS	D	2	24	205.0	- 298.2	230.0	12	-				623	- 886	700
330-400		B	2	11	295.0	- 295.0	295.0	N/Q	567	- 567	567		1153	- 1153	1153
	FD	C	2	244	245.0	- 301.0	291.2	7	-				865	- 1185	1077
	RS	C	2	3	270.2	- 270.2	270.2	N/Q	-				905	- 905	905
	FD	C	3	5	286.0	- 286.0	286.0	N/Q	-				1101	- 1101	1101
	RS	D	2	10	224.0	- 224.0	224.0	12	-				741	- 741	741
400+		B	2	2	284.0	- 284.0	284.0	N/Q	526	- 526	526		1363	- 1363	1363
		C	2	23	256.0	- 295.2	276.2	-1	483	- 568	526		1236	- 1362	1306
	FD	C	2	494	250.0	- 302.6	291.7	5	-				1025	- 1492	1329
	RS	C	2	5	276.0	- 276.0	276.0	N/Q	-				1118	- 1118	1118
		C	3	113	285.0	- 304.2	291.8	6	528	- 552	540		1208	- 1448	1366
	FD	C	3	28	295.0	- 304.0	299.4	19	-				1240	- 1432	1312
	FD	D	2	5	230.2	- 230.2	230.2	N/Q	-				1047	- 1047	1047
		D	3	9	255.0	- 277.0	272.1	N/Q	481	- 523	513		1165	- 1166	1166
					1600	205.0	307.0			462	568		380	1492	
Yearling Heifer															
200-280	FD	C	2	76	230.0	- 265.0	243.6	2	-				564	- 702	615
	RS	C	2	34	227.2	- 240.0	231.7	-10	-				548	- 656	608
	RS	D	1	15	208.2	- 208.2	208.2	N/Q	-				531	- 531	531
		D	2	7	185.0	- 240.0	216.4	N/Q	356	- 480	427		474	- 660	580
280-330	RS	C	2	52	240.0	- 290.0	252.0	9	-				677	- 827	713

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330-400	FD	C	2	39	230.6	- 261.0	240.5	7	-			693	- 856	751	
		C	3	24	255.2	- 275.0	270.9	35	473	- 529	517	835	- 897	884	
		D	2	7	172.0	- 190.0	184.9	N/Q	344	- 380	370	499	- 602	573	
	RS	D	2	11	206.2	- 206.2	206.2	N/Q	-			598	- 598	598	
		D	3	9	232.2	- 232.2	232.2	N/Q	430	- 430	430	755	- 755	755	
		C	2	8	247.2	- 247.2	247.2	7	475	- 475	475	959	- 959	959	
400+	FD	C	2	187	232.0	- 286.2	263.6	10	-			833	- 1062	997	
		C	3	38	262.0	- 288.0	276.2	23	485	- 533	511	935	- 1118	1054	
		C	2	9	256.0	- 256.0	256.0	-9	474	- 474	474	1219	- 1219	1219	
	FD	C	2	36	258.0	- 275.0	265.0	6	-			1045	- 1169	1103	
		C	3	187	236.0	- 298.2	278.2	5	437	- 552	515	1072	- 1463	1286	
		C	5	1	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	444	- 444	444	1188	- 1188	1188	
		D	3	17	213.0	- 230.0	223.8	5	394	- 426	415	963	- 1019	1008	
				757	172.0	298.2			344	552		474	1463		
Grown Steer															
400-500		C	2	16	237.2	- 270.0	259.5	N/Q	448	- 509	486	1110	- 1204	1168	
		C	3	19	255.0	- 294.0	277.1	31	472	- 544	513	1211	- 1441	1361	
500-600		B	2	2	290.0	- 292.0	291.0	N/Q	537	- 541	539	1595	- 1606	1601	
		B	3	13	300.2	- 300.2	300.2	N/Q	556	- 556	556	1555	- 1555	1555	
		C	2	41	190.0	- 288.0	259.9	N/Q	352	- 533	481	1072	- 1599	1424	
	FD	C	2	17	282.0	- 292.0	289.1	N/Q	-			1481	- 1489	1487	
		C	3	250	232.0	- 302.2	283.4	5	430	- 560	524	1206	- 1753	1520	
600-750		D	3	4	220.0	- 235.0	231.3	-4	415	- 443	436	1276	- 1316	1306	
		C	3	29	255.0	- 290.2	285.3	N/C	472	- 537	528	1568	- 1776	1747	
		C	4	50	240.0	- 296.2	278.0	9	444	- 549	513	1588	- 1889	1775	
		D	4	6	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	415	- 415	415	1459	- 1459	1459	
				447	190.0	302.2			352	560		1072	1889		
Grown Heifer															
0-540		C	3	26	230.0	- 289.2	262.2	1	426	- 536	486	978	- 1455	1297	
		C	4	33	234.0	- 285.0	249.7	-22	433	- 528	463	1187	- 1525	1289	
		D	3	7	200.0	- 210.0	207.1	N/Q	377	- 438	420	937	- 1024	962	
540+		C	3	8	200.0	- 244.2	226.0	N/Q	370	- 452	418	1200	- 1443	1340	
		C	4	89	224.0	- 279.0	254.1	5	415	- 526	472	1297	- 1809	1519	
		D	4	25	220.0	- 245.4	239.3	N/Q	407	- 463	454	1349	- 1399	1357	
				188	200.0	289.2			370	536		937	1809		
Manufacturing Steer															
0-540		D	2	5	190.0	- 190.0	190.0	N/C	365	- 365	365	532	- 532	532	
		DA	D	2	18	196.2	- 196.2	196.2	26	392	- 392	392	959	- 959	959
540+		D	4	5	185.0	- 225.0	216.0	N/Q	343	- 425	405	1441	- 1818	1712	
				28	185.0	225.0			343	425		532	1818		
Cows															
0-400		D	1	11	130.0	- 144.2	141.6	1	317	- 352	345	519	- 564	556	
		RS	D	1	41	135.0	- 156.2	146.0	N/Q	-			475	- 503	488
			D	2	10	149.2	- 165.0	159.8	-4	339	- 375	363	530	- 619	596
		RS	D	2	23	163.0	- 187.0	173.4	-2	-			290	- 650	494

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
400-520		D	3	13	174.0	- 174.0	174.0	N/Q	396	- 396	396	633	- 633	633
	DA	E	1	14	170.2	- 170.2	170.2	N/Q	415	- 415	415	500	- 500	500
	RS	E	1	14	138.2	- 138.2	138.2	N/Q	-	-	-	542	- 542	542
	DA	D	1	3	155.0	- 155.0	155.0	N/Q	378	- 378	378	701	- 701	701
	RS	D	1	10	130.0	- 138.0	136.4	-33	-	-	-	533	- 563	557
		D	1	9	140.0	- 155.0	145.0	N/Q	318	- 378	351	616	- 671	655
		D	2	46	155.0	- 176.0	167.8	-10	325	- 400	373	668	- 901	769
	RS	D	2	22	149.2	- 176.6	164.1	N/Q	-	-	-	642	- 842	751
	FD	D	2	26	167.0	- 178.0	173.4	N/Q	-	-	-	773	- 824	802
520+		D	3	189	162.0	- 196.0	185.5	-4	338	- 426	389	706	- 1009	904
		D	4	49	186.2	- 214.0	201.2	-10	365	- 428	398	892	- 1069	996
	DA	D	1	16	168.0	- 174.0	172.9	N/Q	378	- 410	384	1058	- 1107	1098
	DA	D	2	2	173.0	- 173.0	173.0	N/Q	376	- 376	376	1367	- 1367	1367
	RS	D	2	8	169.0	- 184.2	180.4	N/Q	-	-	-	955	- 1019	1003
		D	2	47	168.0	- 184.0	175.6	N/Q	382	- 418	399	875	- 1208	976
		D	3	196	165.0	- 207.0	189.6	-10	344	- 427	394	884	- 1553	1099
		D	4	454	192.0	- 220.2	204.7	-5	373	- 436	403	1008	- 1850	1257
		D	5	14	178.0	- 205.0	199.4	14	356	- 410	401	1121	- 1410	1361
		D	6	1	191.2	- 191.2	191.2	N/Q	382	- 382	382	1252	- 1252	1252
	DA	E	1	3	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	268	- 268	268	614	- 614	614
				1221	110.0	220.2		268	436		290	1850		
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	6	227.0	- 262.0	241.2	19	-	-	-	590	- 953	663
		C	2	10	195.0	- 234.2	212.9	N/Q	368	- 442	396	716	- 971	779
600+		C	2	8	210.0	- 232.0	221.4	N/Q	362	- 414	384	1798	- 2297	2057
				24	195.0	262.0			362	442		590	2297	

Abbreviations

CATTLE FD: Feeder RS: Restocker GF: Grainfed DA: Dairy PC: Pastoral Cattle SHEEP & LAMB RS: Restocker MR: Merino RM: Restocker Merino 1X: 1st Cross
FD: Feeder DP: Dorper

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